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In re reissue application of: )  
U. S. Patent No: 5,915,841 )  
Issued : June 29, 1999 )  
Inventor(s) : Weissert, Dennis H. )  
For : COMPLIANT FOIL FLUID FILM )  
RADIAL BEARING )  
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ASSENT OF ASSIGNEE  
AND CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 3.73(b)

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Capstone Turbine Corporation, assignee of the entire interest in the above-referenced letters patent, hereby assents to the accompanying application for reissue.

Capstone Turbine Corporation, ("assignee"), a corporation having a place of business at 21211 Nordhoff Street, Chatsworth, California 91311, certifies that to the best of assignee's knowledge and belief it is the assignee of the entire right, title, and interest in and to the above-referenced patent and represents that the undersigned is a representative authorized and empowered to sign on behalf of the assignee.

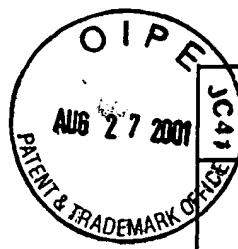
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This is part of the application for a reissue patent based on the original patent identified below.

Name of Patentee(s)	Capstone Turbine Corporation	
Patent Number	5,915,841	Date Patent Issued
Title of Invention	COMPLIANT FOIL FLUID FILM RADIAL BEARING	

1.  Filed herein is a statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b). (Form PTO/SB/96)
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Name of assignee/inventor (if not assigned)  
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REISSUE APPLICATION DECLARATION BY THE INVENTOR		Docket Number (Optional) 153501-0375
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